# CHAPTER 384

#### CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF DE SOTO

#### H. F. 854.

AN ACT to legalize an election held for the purpose of voting on the proposition "Shall the proposed consolidated independent school district of De Soto be established?", held October 26, 1920, in said district located in Dallas and Madison counties, Iowa.

WHEREAS, at an election held within the consolidated independent school district of De Soto, in Dallas and Madison counties, Iowa, on the twenty-sixth day of October, 1920, there was submitted to the voters the following proposition: "Shall the proposed consolidated independent school district of De Soto be established?"; and

WHEREAS, a majority of the votes cast at said election were in favor of the proposition submitted; and,

WHEREAS, said district proposed to fulfill its proper functions by levying taxes, issuing bonds and building a schoolhouse, and it is deemed advisable that all questions concerning the validity of said election and proceedings preliminary thereto be forever put at rest; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That the election held in the independent school district of De Soto on October 26, 1920, whereat the proposition "Shall
- 3 the proposed consolidated independent school district of De Soto be 4 established?" was voted upon, is hereby legalized and validated.
- 1 SEC. 2. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.
- 1 SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take 2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines
- 3 Register and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in the city
- 4 of Des Moines, Iowa; said publication to be without expense to the 5 state.

Approved April 9, A. D. 1921.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register April 14, 1921, and in the Des Moines Capital April 16, 1921. W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 385

### CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF DUNKERTON

#### H. F. 571

AN ACT to legalize the establishment of the consolidated independent school district of Dunkerton, in the county of Black Hawk, state of Iowa, and the issuing of certain bonds of said district.

WHEREAS, on the 12th day of May, 1920, a special election was held in the town of Dunkerton, Black Hawk county, Iowa, at which election the question was submitted to the voters within a certain described territory mentioned and correctly described in the ballots used at said election on the proposition of establishing the consolidated independent school district of Dunkerton, in the county of Black Hawk, state of Iowa, to be comprised of said described territory, and

WHEREAS, at said special election a majority of the voters within said territory voting at said election voted in favor of the formation and establishment of said consolidated independent school district, and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the regularity of the action and proceedings leading up to said special election, and

WHEREAS, at an election called by the board of directors of said consolidated independent school district, and held November 13, 1920, a majority of the voters in said consolidated independent school district voting at said election voted in favor of issuing the bonds of said consolidated independent school district in the sum of one hundred thirty-five thousand dollars (\$135,000.00) for the purpose of defraying the expense of the construction and equipment of a new school house and purchasing a site for same, and

WHEREAS, at a meeting of the board of directors of said consolidated independent school district held on January 28, 1921, a resolution entitled, "Resolution to provide for the issuance of \$135,000.00 school building bonds", was adopted authorizing the issuance of said bonds, and

WHEREAS, certain objections were made to including a part of the territory of said district and the county superintendent entered an order on said objections setting out said territory and neglected and refused to transfer the case to the county board of education, and

WHEREAS, any omissions or irregularities which may have occurred in the formation and establishment of said consolidated independent school district in the authorization of the issuance of said school building bonds are comprised only of the omission of such acts and proceedings as could have been dispensed with by the general assembly in the laws relating to the formation of consolidated independent school districts and relating to the issuance of school building bonds, and

WHEREAS, it is deemed advisable to put said doubts and all other doubts which may arise concerning the legality or validity of the aforesaid proceedings forever at rest; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That all proceedings leading up to and resulting in the formation and establishment of the consolidated independent school district of Dunkerton, in the county of Black Hawk, state of Iowa, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared legal and valid, and the said consolidated independent school district be and is hereby declared legal and valid in all respects the same as if all provisions of law relating to the formation or establishment of consolidated independent school districts had been in all respects strictly complied with.
- SEC. 2. That all proceedings in calling the election and submitting to the voters of said consolidated independent school district the question of issuing bonds in the sum of one hundred thirty-five thousand dollars (\$135,000.00), for the purpose of defraying the expense of the

- 5 construction and equipment of a new school house and purchasing a 6 site for the same and all proceedings in relation thereto be and the 7 same are hereby legalized and validated.
  - SEC. 3. That the school building bonds of said consolidated independent school district in the aggregate amount of one hundred thirty-five thousand dollars (\$135,000.00) authorized at said election and directed to be issued by the resolution adopted by the board of directors of said consolidated independent school district be and the same are hereby legalized and validated and when delivered to the purchaser thereof shall be the valid, legal and subsisting obligations of said consolidated independent school district.
- 1 SEC. 4. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.
- SEC. 5. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines Register, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Waterloo Evening Courier, a newspaper published in Waterloo, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved March 19, A. D. 1921.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register and the Waterloo Evening Courier March 22, 1921.

W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 386

### CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF FRANKLIN

S. F. 653.

AN ACT to legalize certain warrants of the consolidated independent school district of Franklin, in Greene county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, the consolidated independent school district of Franklin, in Greene county, Iowa, has made certain expenditures from the school-house fund of said district, in the amount of \$24698.12 and has issued warrants in conformity with resolutions of the board of directors of said district as follows: Nos. 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1118, 1133, 1134, 1136, 1138, 1139, 1140, 1164, 1171, 1172, 1192, 1193, 1194, 1195, 1196 and each of said warrants was drawn on the schoolhouse fund and bear interest from their respective dates, and all of said warrants are now outstanding, and

WHEREAS, the total indebtedness of said school district does not now, including said warrants, and did not at the time of issuing the same nor at the time of incurring the indebtedness evidenced by said warrants, exceed the constitutional limit of indebtedness of said district; and

WHEREAS, said expenditures were all made by said school district for general and lasting utility authorized by law; and said district has enjoyed the use and benefit of said expenditures; and the result of said ex-